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Applicant(s) : Haga, D. et al.  
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For : **NON-CONTACT DEVICE AND  
METHOD FOR COLLAPSING  
HYBRIDIZATION SUBSTRATE**  
Customer No. : 22896

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

With respect to the Office Action mailed Jan. 15, 2008, please find in this paper the response for the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.